

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT  
REQUEST FOR PARTNERS**

**Reducing Recreational Boat Sewage Discharge into District Waterways**

The Department of Energy and Environment (the Department) seeks eligible entities through a Request for Partners to reduce sewage in the rivers of the District of Columbia and the Chesapeake Bay by providing pumpout services to recreational boaters in the District of Columbia.

The successful partner or partners will be included in the Department's full application to US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Clean Vessel Act program. The total amount available from USFWS is approximately \$1,500,000. Applicants cannot request more funding than the maximum amount available. Projects will only receive funding if the Department receives the grant from the US FWS. DOEE may partner with one or more entities.

Beginning 10/15/2021, the full text of the Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on the Department's website. A person may obtain a copy of this RFA by any of the following means:

**Download** from the Department's website, [www.doe.dc.gov](http://www.doe.dc.gov). Select the *Resources* tab. Cursor over the pull-down list and select *Grants and Funding*. On the new page, cursor down to this RFA. Click on *Read More* and download this RFA and related information from the *Attachments* section.

**Email** a request to [fwdrfa.grants2@dc.gov](mailto:fwdrfa.grants2@dc.gov) with "Request copy of RFA 2021-2125-FWD" in the subject line.

**The deadline for application submissions is 11/15/2021.** The online application must be time stamped by 11:59 p.m. on the date the application is due.

**Eligibility:** All the checked institutions below may apply for these grants:

- ☒-Nonprofit organizations, including those with IRS 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(4) determinations;
- ☐-Faith-based organizations;
- ☒-Government agencies;
- ☒-Universities/educational institutions; and
- ☒-Private Enterprises.

For additional information regarding this RFA, write to: [fwdrfa.grants2@dc.gov](mailto:fwdrfa.grants2@dc.gov).